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Dr. J. A. Amyot,

Department of Health,

Ottawa.

My dear Dr. Amyot:

Your letter of the 11th of September I have received with much regret, though of course I knew that it was coming. While the Dominion will profit greatly by your experience, knowledge and judgment, the University will be also a loser, and I am sure that I am only expressing the opinion of a very great many in writing as I do. I will lay your resignation before the Board of Governors at the next meeting. Though you are leaving the University officially I hope that we shall over and over again see you back here and that the ties will remain very close. I am glad also that the succession is to be continued and that your two boys are to be with us. I hope that they will have successful careers. We shall do our best for them.

We are fortunate in having Dr. Fitzgerald who has been associated with you so long, and we shall therefore be able to carry on the work without too great a break.

With best wishes for your continued prosperity,

I am, Yours sincerely,

President.